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Renewed Petition to Withdraw The Holding of Abandonment under 37 CFR 1.81

Dear Sirs:

After speaking to Mr. Jack Keith, my daughter, Kathryn Holtzworth and I have searched everywhere for the copy of the Certificate of Mailing sent on May 10, 2004 we spoke of on the telephone to no avail. Apparently we sent one that we didn't copy. There was confusion around how it should be signed, we had some I signed and some that Kathryn signed since we were both traveling and weren't sure who should send it. As it ended up, I sent the response from Port Washington, NY. Mr. Keith pretty much said that nothing could be done without that particular copy of the Certificate of Mailing; however, time is short and I felt I should reply. I have been calling Mr. Meyers number as directed by Mr. Keith, and now have a new number to call. I have left messages; however, I can imagine how busy you must be.

What do we do from here? Do we start all over with a provisional application as we did in the beginning, or is there some other action that we could take? Since I sent the package, are there any documents I can send that can clear this up - affidavits, etc.? We have made several copies along the way, and maybe the copy printed from the computer in New York printed slightly differently when it was emailed from our computer in Arizona. I don't know why the copies would be different other than that possibility. We never imagined how important the copies were. We never imagined they would get lost or separated when opened. Please let us know what we can do. I have already sent all the evidence we can find, so I don't know where to go from here.

Sincerely yours,

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